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Austin Horn, Central Intelligence Agency (CIA), advised the Liaison Agent on August 30, 1963, that a reliable CIA source in Madrid, Spain, had been in contact with [Mark Tischman,] (S) one of the American students who accompanied the group which recently visited Cuba. (S) This contact took place on August 27, 1963, at which time [Tischman] (S) volunteered the following information to the CIA source: (S)

Tischman (S) identified the following students as "fellow travelers": Joseph Rex, Elena B. Fleming, John Milton, Don Ranmann, and Alberti Maher. (S) (U)

[Tischman] (S) referred to Levi Laub as a "communist in ideology" but not a Party member. He stated that Philip A. Luce is "a person of Marxist-Leninist tendencies"; that Michael Brown is a Trotskyite; that John W. Thomas is a decided partisan of the policy of Mao Tse Tung; that Eric D. Johnston is "of communist ideology though not a Party member"; that Clinton M. Jenks is "the son of the number three ranking communist in California"; and that the only student in the group who is actually a member of the Party is Allan Sheffield. (S) (U)

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